

H.R. 4395, to revise the boundaries of the Gettysburg National Military Park to include the Gettysburg Train Station, with an amendment (H. Rept. 111-438); and

H. Res. 1168, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3650) to establish a National Harmful Algal Bloom and Hypoxia Program, to develop and coordinate a comprehensive and integrated strategy to address harmful algal blooms and hypoxia, and to provide for the development and implementation of comprehensive regional action plans to reduce harmful algal blooms and hypoxia (H. Rept. 111-439).

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Call of the House: The Speaker called the House to order and ascertained the presence of a quorum (405 present, Roll No. 101).

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Impeaching G. Thomas Porteous, Jr., judge of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, for high crimes and misdemeanors: The House agreed to H. Res. 1031, impeaching G. Thomas Porteous, Jr., judge of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, for high crimes and misdemeanors.

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The House agreed to Article I of the resolution by a yea-and-nay vote of 412 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 102.

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The House agreed to Article II of the resolution by a recorded vote of 410 ayes with none voting "no", Roll No. 103.

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The House agreed to Article III of the resolution by a recorded vote of 416 ayes with none voting "no", Roll No. 104.

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The House agreed to Article IV of the resolution by a recorded vote of 423 ayes with none voting "no", Roll No. 105.

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Privileged Resolution—Motion to Refer: The House agreed to refer H. Res. 1164, raising a question of the privileges of the House, to the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct by a recorded vote of 402 ayes to 1 no with 15 voting "present", Roll No. 107, after the previous question was ordered by a recorded vote of 404 ayes to 2 noes with 15 voting "present", Roll No. 106.

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Suspensions—Proceedings Resumed: The House agreed to suspend the rules and agree to the following measures which were debated on Tuesday, March 9th:

Recognizing the 189th anniversary of the independence of Greece: H. Res. 1107, to recognize the 189th anniversary of the independence of Greece and to celebrate Greek and American democracy, by a $\frac{2}{3}$

yea-and-nay vote of 414 yeas with none voting "nay" and 1 voting "present", Roll No. 108 and

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Commending the Ohio State University Buckeyes football team for its victory in the 2010 Rose Bowl: H. Res. 1047, to commend The Ohio State University Buckeyes football team for its victory in the 2010 Rose Bowl.

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Privileged Resolution: The House agreed to H. Res. 1165, appointing and authorizing managers for the impeachment of G. Thomas Porteous, Jr., a Judge for the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on pages H1325 and H1340.

Senate Referrals: S. 1067 was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and five recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H1335, H1335-36, H1336, H1337, H1338, H1338-39, and H1339-40. One quorum call (Roll No. 101) developed during the proceedings of today and appears on pages H1328-29.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 4 p.m.

Committee Meetings

U.S. AGRICULTURAL SALES TO CUBA

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing to review U.S. agricultural sales to Cuba. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AGRICULTURE, RURAL DEVELOPMENT, FDA, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies held a hearing on Global Food Security. Testimony was heard from Thomas Melito, Director, International Affairs and Trade, GAO.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on Navy and Marine Corps Posture. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: Ray Mabus, Secretary; ADM Gary Roughead, USN, Chief of Naval Operations; and GEN James T. Conway, USMC, Commandant.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, VETERANS AFFAIRS, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies held a hearing on European Command. Testimony was heard from ADM James E. Stavridis, USN, Commander, U.S. European Command, Department of Defense.

DEFENSE ACQUISITION SYSTEM/LABOR MANAGEMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Defense Acquisition Reform Panel held a hearing on Administration perspectives on managing the defense acquisition system and the defense acquisition workforce. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Ashton B. Carter, Under Secretary, Acquisition, Technology and Logistics; Robert Hale, Under Secretary, (Comptroller); Shay Assad, Acting Deputy Under Secretary (Acquisition and Technology), Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy; and Elizabeth A. McGrath, Acting Deputy Chief Management Officer.

GIRLS IN THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Healthy Families and Communities held a hearing on Meeting the Challenges Faced by Girls in the Juvenile Justice System. Testimony was heard from Cameron Romer, Young County Probation Officer, York, Pennsylvania; and public witnesses.

NHTSA OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Consumer Protection held a hearing entitled "NHTSA Oversight: The Road Ahead." Testimony was heard from David Strickland, Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation; Joan Claybrook, former Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AFTER CITIZENS UNITED

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Insurance, and Government Sponsored Enterprises held a hearing entitled "Corporate Governance after Citizens United." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FHA REFORM

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity held a hearing entitled: "The FHA Reform Act of 2010." Testimony was heard from David Stevens, Assistant Sec-

retary, Housing and Federal Housing Administration Commissioner, Department of Housing Administration Commissioner, Department of Housing and Urban Development; and public witnesses.

U.S. HIV/AIDS RELIEF

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa and Global Health held a hearing on U.S. Investments in HIV/AIDS: Opportunities and Challenges Ahead. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PAKISTAN ISLAMIST MILITANCY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Middle East and South Asia held a hearing on Bad Company: Lashkar e-Tayyiba and the Growing Ambition of Islamist Militancy in Pakistan. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VISA SECURITY/PASSENGER PRE-SCREENING

Committee on Homeland Security: Subcommittee on Border, Maritime and Global Counterterrorism held a meeting entitled "Visa Security and Passenger Pre-Screening Efforts in the Wake of Flight 253." Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Homeland Security: Raymond R. Parmer, Jr., Director, Office of International Affairs, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement; and Thomas S. Winkowski, Assistant Commissioner, Office of Field Operations, U.S. Customs and Border Protection; and David T. Donahue, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Visa Services, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Department of State.

FAIR HOUSING ACT OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties held a hearing on Protecting the American Dream: A Look at the Fair Housing Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BUREAU OF RECLAMATION/GEOLOGICAL SURVEY BUDGETS

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Water and Power held an oversight hearing on the President's Fiscal Year 2011 Budget Request for the Bureau of Reclamation and Water Resources Division of the United States Geological Survey (USGS), Department of the Interior. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Interior: Michael Connor, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation; and Matthew C. Larsen, Deputy Director, Water Resources Division, U.S. Geological Survey; and public witnesses.

**HARMFUL ALGAL BLOOMS AND HYPOXIA/
RESEARCH AND CONTROL AMENDMENTS**

Committee on Rules: Granted, by a non-record vote, a rule providing for consideration of H.R. 3650, the “Harmful Algal Blooms and Hypoxia Research and Control Amendments Act of 2009.” The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Science and Technology. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill except those arising under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI. The rule provides that the amendment printed in part A of this report shall be considered as adopted. The bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against the bill, as amended. The rule makes in order only the amendment printed in part B of this report if offered by Representative Flake of Arizona or his designee. The amendment shall be considered as read, shall be separately debatable for 10 minutes equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. The rule waives all points of order against the amendment printed in part B of this report except those arising under clause 9 and 10 of rule XXI. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Baird, and Hall of Texas.

**COAST GUARD ACQUISITION PROGRAMS/
POLICIES**

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation held a hearing on A Review of Coast Guard Acquisition Programs and Policies. Testimony was heard from RADM Ronald J. Rabago, USCG, Assistant Commandant, Acquisition and Chief Acquisition Officer, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security.

VA CENTER FOR VETERAN ENTERPRISES

Committee on Veterans’ Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity held a hearing on VA’s Center

for Veteran Enterprise. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Veterans Affairs: Tim Foreman, Executive Director, Office of Small and Disadvantage Business Utilization; and Phillipa Anderson, Assistant General Counsel, Government Contracts, Real Property, and Environmental Law Group, Office of General Counsel; and public witnesses.

**TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY
FAMILIES**

Committee on Ways and Means. Subcommittee on Income Security and Family Support held a hearing on the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Role in Providing Assistance to Struggling Families. Testimony was heard from Representative Moore of Wisconsin; Carmen Nazario, Assistant Secretary, Children and Families, Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services; Kay E. Brown, Director, Education, Workforce, and Income Security, GAO; and public witnesses.

NIP & MIP OVERVIEW FOR FY 2011

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to hold a hearing on NIP & MIP Budget Overview for Fiscal Year 2011. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY,
MARCH 12, 2010**

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No committee meetings are scheduled.